Mountain Weather Forecast

North Grampian

Including North and West Cairngorms National Park, Monadhliath, Ben Alder, Creag Meagaidh, Loch Ericht and Loch Rannoch
Forecast valid from 00:00 on Sunday 21 Aug 2022 until 23:59 on Monday 22 Aug 2022

Forecast Issued on Saturday 20 Aug 2022 at 16:42 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High becoming Medium in detail from Monday.

Headline for Sunday 21 Aug 2022: Bright with occasional showers. Strong winds gradually easing.

Mountain weather hazards on Sunday 21 Aug 2022

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
Low Likelihood

Severe chill effect
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
Low Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
Low Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Heavy rain showers (night)	Heavy rain showers (night)	Light rain showers (night)	Cloudy	Cloudy	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability							
50%	40%	40%	30%	20%	20%	10%	00%

Forecast for Sunday 21 Aug 2022

Weather: Rather cloudy around Creag Meagaidh and the west overnight with occasional showers, mainly dry to the east of the Cairngorm Plateau. The showers becoming more scattered during the morning with bright spells, the showers mainly dying out in the afternoon with some sunny breaks developing. Dry with clear spells later in the evening.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 50% becoming 90% or more in the afternoon.

Low cloud and visibility: Occasional or extensive cloud around the summits overnight and early morning, becoming nil significant in the afternoon. Visibility very good or excellent, but moderate in any showers and poor or very poor in early summit cloud.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	35/46 SW	34/45 SW	29/39 W	26/36 W	21/29 W	20/28 W	14/20 W	9/12 SW	11/15 S
900	31/39 SW	30/37 SW	26/33 SW	23/31 W	19/27 W	18/25 W	13/18 W	8/10 SW	8/10 S
600	20/29 SW	19/27 SW	18/25 SW	18/25 W	16/24 W	14/22 SW	10/16 W	6/9 SW	3/5 S
300	10/25 SW	10/25 SW	9/21 SW	11/23 SW	11/22 W	10/21 W	7/15 W	3/8 SW	2/5 S
Glen	4/21 SW	3/20 SW	3/16 SW	6/20 W	6/20 W	7/19 W	4/13 W	3/7 SW	2/6 SW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	2/-5	2/-5	3/-4	3/-3	5/-1	6/0	5/1	3/-0	3/-1
900	6/-0	5/-1	6/0	6/2	8/4	9/5	8/5	7/4	6/4
600	8/4	8/4	8/4	9/6	11/8	12/9	11/9	9/8	8/7
300	10/7	9/7	10/8	11/9	14/12	15/13	14/12	10/10	8/8
Glen	9/8	9/8	8/8	13/11	16/14	16/14	15/14	10/10	8/8
Freezing Level*	1700m	1700m	1700m	1700m	1800m	1900m	1800m	1700m	1700m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Nothing further to add.

Forecast for Monday 22 Aug 2022
Weather: Often dry and bright, perhaps some sunny breaks. However, patchy rain or showers cannot be ruled out.

Maximum wind: South or Southeast 15 to 20mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 70%

Low cloud and visibility: Cloud mainly above the summits, but occasional, base around 900m possible at times. Visibility very good, falling moderate in any rain or showers, and poor in any summit cloud.

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 12 rising to 20 Celsius
At 800m: Plus 6 to 11 Celsius
Freezing level: Above the summits

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